Consumer Education Sessions Start September Free Seminars Focus on Adult Long-Term Care Options for

State Residents Eleven Sessions Schedule Throughout Maryland

Department of Health & Mental Hygiene News Release

Baltimore, MD (August 23, 2010) - The Department of Health and Mental Hygiene Office of Eligibility will be offering free public education seminars throughout the state beginning in September. The first session is September 2 in Baltimore City at 1910 N. Broadway, 21201 in Room 148, followed by a second session September 13 at the Howard County Health Department, 7178 Columbia Gateway Driveway, Columbia 21046. All sessions are from 5-7 p.m. and require registration. (See attached schedule for full location and date details.

The Public Consumer Education sessions on Long-Term Care Partnership and Long-Term Care Medicaid, will focus on care options for Maryland residents: how to be ready when the time comes for nursing home care; how to protect assets and still get the care needed; how to make sure an individual has the right kind of coverage and the right amount of Long Term Care Partnership (LTCP) insurance; how individuals can plan for their future nursing home care; how to help parents get ready for nursing home care; what questions to ask when purchasing a policy; how to plan for future personal and financial independence; how to protect your inheritance and more.

There is no cost to attend the sessions and there is no product solicitation. Trained Medicaid staff will be available to answer long-term care questions.

To register or receive more information, please email Sylvia J. Beall, Senior Medicaid Eligibility Trainer at bealls @dhmh.state.md.us or call 410-767-3071. Seating is limited.

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